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"Califlora" GLADIOLUS

Finest quality high crown young bulbs, grown in one or two years from bulblets. Treated against thrip. Varieties with ★ in front are outstanding new Gladiolus. 250 of a variety must be ordered to get the thousand rate. We do not sell less than 250 of a variety of the No. 2 size. Prices F.O.B. Los Angeles, California.

	Size..... Diameter.....	No. 1 1½"-2"	No. 2 1¼"-1½"
		100	1000
RED SHADES			
★ RED CHARM. Charming Large Deep Velvety Red.....		\$3.75	\$35.00
RED LORY. Giant Red with Purple Throat.....		3.50	32.00
★ VALERIA. Large Ruffled Bright Red.....		3.50	32.00
★ MAJUBA. Large Velvety Brick Red.....		3.75	35.00
			30.00
LAVENDER, BLUE and PURPLE SHADES			
BLUE BEAUTY. Best Blue. Extra fine. Giant blooms.....		3.75	35.00
★ ELIZABETH THE QUEEN. Exquisite Clear Lavender, Ruffled.....		4.25	40.00
KING LEAR. Ruffled Royal Purple. Large.....		3.75	35.00
LAVENDER RUFFLES. Lovely Ruffled Lavender.....		3.50	32.00
MINUET. Best Commercial Lavender.....		3.75	35.00
★ BUENA VISTA. Deep Wine Red. Opens Many Flowers.....		5.75	55.00
			50.00
PINK AND ROSE SHADES and SALMON SHADES			
CAM ROSE. Exhibition Light Pink.....		3.25	29.00
★ CAPEHEART. A Ravishing Warm Pink. Fine commercial.....		3.75	35.00
★ CHAMOUNY. Beautiful Cerise-rose. Silver edge.....		3.75	35.00
ETHEL CAVE COLE. Large Exquisite Soft Pink.....		3.25	29.00
ROSA VAN LIMA. Huge Clear Pink. Fine commercial.....		3.25	29.00
PARADISE. Very Large Gorgeous Apricot-salmon.....		3.25	29.00
★ PANDORA. Soft Salmon Pink with Reddish Feather in Throat.....		4.75	45.00
MOTHER MACHREE. Beautiful Golden Lavender Smoky.....		3.50	32.00
			27.00
YELLOW SHADES			
★ LADY JANE. Exhibition Light Yellow. Lower Petals Deep Yellow.....		3.75	35.00
ORIOLE. Large Clear Yellow. Deep Yellow Throat.....		3.50	32.00
★ SPOTLITE. Finest New Large Clear Deep Yellow, Scarlet Blotch in Throat.....		4.25	40.00
★ YELLOW HERALD. Tall Yellow. Slight Carmine Markings in Throat.....		5.25	50.00
★ GOLDEN ARROW. Excellent True Light Yellow Even in Bud.....		4.75	45.00
			40.00
WHITE SHADES			
MAID OF ORLEANS. Pure White. Light Cream Throat.....		3.25	29.00
MARGARET BEATON. Huge Glistening White, Brilliant Scarlet Throat.....		3.25	29.00
SNOW PRINCESS. Finest Commercial Early Pure White.....		3.25	29.00
★ WHITE GOLD. Large Clear Light Cream. Tall. Early.....		3.25	29.00
			21.00
"CALIFLORA" MIXTURE			
Carefully Blended Mixture of all Colors.....		3.25	29.00
			21.00

CALIFLORA BEGONIAS—Tuberous Rooted

California grown bulbs. Delivery January to April, inclusive.

Our Superior strain of Tuberous Rooted Begonias is, without question, the finest to be had. It is the result of many years of experimentation and selection. Strong growing tubers producing huge, magnificent flowers of perfect form carried erect on strong stems.

TYPES AND COLORS:

- Giant Camellia Double.** White, Yellow, Rose, Pink, Orange, Scarlet, Dark Red, Apricot, Flame Orange, Blush, Crimson-rose, American Beauty, Cardinal Red, Dark Salmon, Light Salmon, and Mixed Colors.
- Giant Frilled.** White, Yellow, Rose, Pink, Salmon, Orange, Scarlet, Dark Red, Apricot, Fascination (light pink to white with frilled border shading from rose to light red), and Mixed Colors.
- Giant Fimbriata** (Carnation Flowered). White, Yellow, Rose, Pink, Salmon, Orange, Scarlet, Dark Red, Blush, Crimson-rose, Red-salmon, Apricot, Dark-salmon, and Mixed Colors.
- Lloydii** (Hanging-basket type). White, Pink, Rose, Salmon, Yellow, Orange, Scarlet, and Mixed Colors.
- Double Picotee.** (This variety has darker edge of same color.) Salmon, Pink, Rose, Apricot, Red, and Mixed Colors.

Prices—All Varieties and Colors as above:

	100	1000
1-1¼" Diameter.....	\$ 7.00	\$ 65.00
1¼-1½" Diameter.....	9.50	90.00
1½-2" Diameter.....	14.50	140.00
2-2½" Diameter.....	19.50	190.00

Multiflora Type Tuberous Rooted Begonias from Belgium. Excellent pot plants. Bushy, with many flowers. Available in an excellent strain. Separate colors of Yellow, Orange, and Scarlet. Also Mixed Colors.

Size 1-2" Diameter.....\$15.00 per 100; \$147.50 per 1000

DAHLIA TUBERS

February to April Delivery

Reliable correctly named Tubers, each individually labeled. Excellent quality. Carefully divided so that each Tuber has a live bud or eye.

Price: F.O.B. Portland, Ore., \$18.00 per 100 all varieties except Cactus, which are \$25.00 per 100. No less than 25 of a variety sold at this price. Orders for less than 25 of a variety, add 10% packing charge.

LARGE FLOWERING DECORATIVE TYPES

RED SHADES

Gallant Fox. Dark red. Prolific bloomer.
Eleanor Francis. Blood red. Good keeper.
Mrs. Geo. LeBoutillier. Cardinal red. Very large.

PINK SHADES

Rose Glory. True rose-pink. Fine cut flower.
Sagamore Beauty. True pink with cream center.
William Howard Taft. Old rose.
Marshall's Pink. Clear pink. Similar to Jersey's Beauty.

LAVENDER SHADES

Blue River. Bluish-lavender. Exhibition type.
Croydon Lilac. Fine lilac.

WHITE SHADES

Jean Kerr. Pure white. Formal decorative.
D'Arcy Sainsbury. Very large pure white. Outstanding.

YELLOW SHADES

Avalon. Large clear yellow.
Golden Eclipse. Golden yellow. Fine cut flower.
The Commodore. Large rich yellow. Outstanding.
Francis Larocco. Fine yellow cut flower.

BRONZE SHADES

Margaret Cole. Standard bright orange and white.
Mrs. Kunzman. Tall bronze. Good cut flower.
Watchung Giant. Giant bronze suffused orange.

CACTUS TYPE

Andries Orange. Pure orange miniature. Newest and best.
Bronze Delight. Large salmon to bronze.
Beaute. Pure yellow. Very graceful formation.
Fiducie. Orange to bronze. Good cut flower.

Peace. Pure white. Medium size. Excellent cut flower.

St. Therese. Pink and white. Finest cut flower Dahlia of any type.

MINIATURE TYPES

Bishop of Llandaff. Bright red. Darker center. Peony type.
Buckeye Baby. Clear bronze. 4-foot bush.
Dolly. Lavender. Heavy bloomer.

Orchid Lady. Soft orchid. Petals curled.
Springhill Rose. American Beauty rose.
White Fawn. Fine white.

BALL or SHOW TYPES

Bonnie Blue. Lavender.
Charlotte Caldwell. Orange.
Daintiball. Light rosy-lavender. Excellent.
Porthos. Bright red.

Red Chief. Bright red. Profuse bloomer.
Storm King. Fine pure white.
White Swan. White with faint pink tinge.

POMPON DAHLIAS

RED

Alice. Bright red. New. Extra fine.
Johnny Peppin. Dark maroon.

BRONZE

Amber Queen. Amber-bronze. Good cut flower.
All Bright. Small orange-red.

PINK

Betty Ann. Shell pink. Exhibition flower.
Hazel Dell. Pink.
Helen Anita. Pink to lavender. White dot in center.

LAVENDER

Mary Munns. Fine lavender cut flower.

PURPLE

Purple Gem. Fine purple. Low growing.
Rosalie. Reddish purple.

WHITE

Joe Fette. Standard white Pompon.

YELLOW

Yellow Gem. Standard Yellow Pompon. Good cut flower.

BI-COLOR

Morning Mist. Beautiful lavender and white. Heavy bloomer.

CALLA LILIES

Elliottiana (Yellow Calla). November to March delivery. Beautiful golden-yellow. Bright green leaves with perforations that have the appearance of spots. Fine for pot culture.

	100	1000
1 3/4-2" Diameter	\$10.00	\$ 95.00
2-2 1/2" Diameter	16.50	160.00
2 1/2-3" Diameter	29.00	285.00

Pink Calla (Rehmanni Superba). October to February delivery. Very unusual dwarf Calla. Flowers are rose-pink, changing to cerise.

	100	1000
1 1/4-1 1/2" Diameter	\$ 9.00	\$ 85.00
1 1/2-2" Diameter	15.00	145.00
2" up Diameter	22.50	220.00

CALIFLORA CALADIUM—Fancy Leaf

January to June delivery. After long experience in growing these in the greenhouse we have selected ten of the most attractive varieties, of contrasting colors and characteristics. In addition to these we can supply any other popular variety. If planted in January will produce salable plants for Easter.

Candidum. Snow-white with green veins and network. Narrow green border. Fine Easter variety.

Spotlight. Center of leaf shining crimson with slight bluish tint. Narrow green border. Strong grower.

Itacapus. Entire leaf dark red of a rust shade; narrow border with red dottings. One of the most beautiful Caladiums.

John Peed. Bold plant with many leaves. Center transparent cherry-red, light green margin.

Lord Derby. Delicate transparent rose with dark green ribs and narrow green edge. Abundant foliage.

Macahyba. Dark moss green profusely spotted and mottled with transparent lilac blotches. Heavy scarlet ribs.

Thomas Tomlinson. Bright crimson center and blotches; narrow green edge. Makes many leaves.

Mrs. W. B. Haldeman. Glowing bright pink with narrow green edge. Varies to a deep pink according to soil used.

Pocile Anglais. Dwarf, many leaved type with wavy leaves of deep crimson having a bluish overcast and bordered metallic green.

One of the best.

Mrs. Santer. Roundish dark green leaf, heavily blotched. Transparent deep rose.

		F.O.B. Los Angeles		F.O.B. Florida	
		100	1000	100	1000
No. 1	1½-2½" Diameter	\$18.00	\$170.00	\$15.00	\$140.00
Jumbo	2½-3½" Diameter	27.50	265.00	23.00	215.00

Orders for less than 25 of a variety take the hundred rate plus 10%.

GERBERA (Transvaal Daisy)—Califlora Hybrids

January to May delivery. Superior strain of Giant Single and Duplex types. Wide open flowers in a well-blended mixture of brilliant colors, predominating Salmon, Orange, Red and Pink shades.

	100	1000
Large two to four eye root divisions	\$16.00	\$150.00
Nice one to two eye root divisions	11.00	100.00

DAISIES

January to March Delivery

Bloom profusely all Spring, Summer, and until late Fall if flowers are kept cut. Fine florists cut flower and to plant in pots or gallon cans for nursery use. Large rooted divisions.

	100	1000
Esther Read. Fine large pure white, completely double	\$ 7.50	\$ 70.00
Grand Marconi. Pure white double Chrysanthemum-like flowers on 2½-foot stems	7.50	70.00
Majestic. Duplex type, very popular	15.00	140.00
Shasta Edgebrook. New. Duplex type with wide petals	15.00	140.00



SPREKELIA FORMOSISSIMA

LILIES

	100	1000
Regale 7-8" Cir.	\$ 9.50	\$ 90.00
Regale 8-9" Cir.	13.00	125.00
Following Lilies grown in Japan. 8-9" size; 200 to case at 1000 rate.		
Auratum (Gold Banded Lily of Japan). White, Gold rayed, Crimson spots.		
Rubrum (Speciosum Rubrum). Carmine pink on white ground. Carmine spots.	\$25.00	\$225.00
Tigrinum (Tiger Lily) Orange-red spotted purple. Much reflexed.		

MONTBRETIAS

	100	1000
New Hybrid Mixture	\$ 4.25	\$ 40.00

RANUNCULUS "TECOLOTE GIANTS" and ANEMONES

For Western Oregon and Washington, February and March is the best time for planting. Following sizes still available in Mixture and Separate colors. See our 1950 Fall price list for prices. Diameters: ⅝-¾", ½-⅝", and ⅜-½".

SPREKELIA FORMOSISSIMA—Aztec Lily

Beautiful deep red orchid-shaped flower. Leaves dark green, sword-shaped.

	100	1000
Jumbo 1¾" up Diameter	\$25.00	\$245.00
Tops 1½-1¾" Diameter	20.00	195.00

TUBEROSES

January to April Delivery

	100	1000		100	1000
Double Pearl. Tops	\$7.25	\$70.00	Single Mexican. Sweet-scented.		
Double Pearl. Jumbo	9.25	90.00	4 to 6 inch Cir.	\$4.50	\$42.50

LILY OF THE VALLEY

Domestic—Delivery after January 15th

Nice large Northwest grown. Blooming size. (Not suitable for greenhouse forcing.)

PRICES

25 Pips for \$1.50

50 Pips for \$2.75

100 Pips for \$5.25

250 or more, \$50.00 per 1000

FINEST IMPORTED GERMAN RESELECTED TOP SIZE FORCING PIPS

Available from cold storage in Los Angeles from early January through April. When ordering please indicate shipping dates. These pips will force into bloom in from 21 to 28 days after planting.

PRICES

25 Pips for \$2.50

50 Pips for \$4.50

100 Pips for \$8.00

250 or more, \$78.00 per 1000